

AUG 28 2007

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application Serial No. .... 09/820,467  
Confirmation No. .... 8353  
Filing Date ..... March 28, 2001  
Inventor ..... Clifton W. Wood, Jr.  
Assignee ..... Micron Technology, Inc.  
Group Art Unit ..... 2616  
Examiner ..... Soon D. Hyun  
Attorney's Docket No. .... MI40-326  
Customer No. .... 021567  
Title: Communication Methods Using Slotted Replies

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria VA 22313-1450

CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION UNDER 37 CFR 1.8

I hereby certify that the following papers are being facsimile transmitted to the Patent and Trademark Office at (571) 273-8300 on the date shown below:

1. Transmittal Form (PTO/SB/21)
2. Interview Summary
3. 1.312 Amendment

Dated: 8/28/07By: 

Natalie King

Telephone No. (509) 624-4276

Facsimile No. (509) 838-3424

NUMBER OF PAGES IN FACSIMILE: 7

AUG 28 2007

PTO/SB/21 (09-06)

Approved for use through 03/31/2007. OMB 0651-0031

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

**TRANSMITTAL  
FORM**

(to be used for all correspondence after initial filing)

Total Number of Pages in This Submission

100\*

Application Number

09/820.487

Filing Date

March 28, 2001

First Named Inventor

Clifton W. Wood, Jr.

Art Unit

2616

Examiner Name

Soon D. Hyun

Attorney Docket Number

MI40-326

**ENCLOSURES (Check all that apply)**

Fee Transmittal Form



Fee Attached



Amendment/Reply

1.312



After Final



Affidavits/declaration(s)



Extension of Time Request



Express Abandonment Request



Information Disclosure Statement



Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)

Reply to Missing Parts/  
Incomplete ApplicationReply to Missing Parts  
under 37 CFR 1.62 or 1.63

Drawing(s)



Licensing-related Papers



Petition

Petition to Convert to a  
Provisional Application

Power of Attorney, Revocation



Change of Correspondence Address



Terminal Disclaimer



Request for Refund



CD, Number of CD(s) \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Landscape Table on CD

Remarks



After Allowance Communication to TC

Appeal Communication to Board  
of Appeals and InterferencesAppeal Communication to TC  
(Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief)

Proprietary Information



Status Letter

Other Enclosure(s) (please identify  
below):

Interview Summary

**SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT**

Firm Name

WELLS ST. JOHN P.S. (Customer No. 021587)

Signature

Printed name

James D. Shaurette

Date

8/28/07

Reg. No.

33,560

**CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION/MAILING**

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the USPTO or deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date shown below:

Signature

Typed or printed name

Natalie King

Date

8/28/07

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.5. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.11 and 1.14. This collection is estimated to 2 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 and select option 2.

AUG 28 2007

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application Serial No. .... 09/820,467  
Confirmation No. .... 6353  
Filing Date ..... March 28, 2001  
Inventor ..... Clifton W. Wood, Jr.  
Assignee ..... Micron Technology, Inc.  
Group Art Unit ..... 2616  
Examiner ..... Soon D. Hyun  
Attorney's Docket No. .... MI40-326  
Customer No. .... 021567  
Title: Communication Methods Using Slotted Replies

INTERVIEW SUMMARY

To: Mail Stop Issue Fee  
Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria VA 22313-1459

From: James D. Shaurette (Tel. 509-624-4276; Fax 509-838-3424)  
Wells St. John P.S.  
601 W. First Avenue, Suite 1300  
Spokane, WA 99201-3828

Sir:

The undersigned and David J. Kaplan of the assignee wish to thank the Examiner for his time in discussing the title in the above-identified application during the telephone interview of August 22, 2007. The title on the Notice of Allowability does not correspond to the amendment made to the title in Applicant's amendment dated May 2, 2006. In addition, the claims of the amendment dated May 2, 2006 have been canceled and Applicants respectfully request entry of the new title "Communication methods using slotted replies" discussed with and favorably received by the Examiner during the telephone


s:\MI40\326VS2.doc

Appl. No. 09/820,467

interview. It was agreed during the interview that Applicant would submit a 1.312 amendment to change the title to the above-mentioned title. The 1.312 amendment accompanies this response.

The Examiner is requested to phone the undersigned if the Examiner believes such would facilitate prosecution of the present application. The undersigned is available for telephone consultation at any time during normal business hours (Pacific Time Zone).

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: 8/28/07By:   
James D. Shaurette  
Reg. No. 39,833